representing the beekeepers of that State.

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§1240.18 Honey Board.

Honey Board or the Board means the administrative body established pursuant to §1240.30.

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§1240.19 State.

State means any of the fifty States of the United States of America, the District of Columbia, and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico.

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§1240.20 Fiscal period and marketing year.

Fiscal period and marketing year means the 12-month period ending on December 31 or such other consecutive 12-month period as shall be recommended by the Board and approved by the Secretary.

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$\S 1240.21$ Plans and projects.

Plans and *projects* means those research, promotion, and consumer education plans, studies, or projects established pursuant to §§ 1240.38 and 1240.39.

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§1240.22 Part and subpart.

Part means the Honey Research, Promotion, and Consumer Information Order and all rules, regulations, and supplemental orders issued thereunder, and the order shall be a "subpart" of such part.

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HONEY BOARD

§ 1240.30 Establishment and membership.

A Honey Board (hereinafter called the Board) is hereby established to administer the terms and provisions of this part. The Board shall consist of thirteen (13) members, each of whom shall have an alternate. Seven members and seven alternates shall be honey producers; two members and two alternates shall be honey handlers; two members and two alternates shall be either honey importers or exporters of which at least one member and alternate shall be an importer; one member and one alternate shall be an officer or employee of a honey marketing cooperative; and, one member and one alternate shall be selected to represent the general public. The Board shall be appointed by the Secretary from nominations submitted by the National Honey Nominations Committee, pursuant to § 1240.32.

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§ 1240.31 Term of office.

The members of the Board and their alternates shall serve for terms of three years, except the members of the initial Board shall be designated for, and shall serve terms as follows: Four members and alternates shall serve for one-year terms; four shall serve for two-year terms; and five shall serve for three-year terms. No member or alternate shall serve more than two consecutive terms: Provided, That those members and alternates serving the initial term of one year may serve two additional consecutive three-year terms. The term of office for the initial Board shall begin immediately on appointment by the Secretary. In subsequent years, the term of office shall begin on April 1. Each member and alternate member shall continue to serve until his/her successor is selected and has accepted.

§ 1240.32 Nominations.

All nominations to the Board authorized under §1240.30 herein shall be made in the following manner.

(a) Establishment of National Honey Nominations Committee. (1) There is hereby established a National Honey